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# The Cedarville Herald.

FORTY-SEVENTH YEAR NO. 5.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1924

A NEWSPAPER DEVOTED TO LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS AND THE INTERESTS OF CEDARVILLE AND VICINITY.

PRICE, \$1.50 A YEAR

## PAPER MILL ENGINE BLEW OUT FRIDAY

The big 300 horse power engine at the paper mill blew out, about 3:30 last Friday morning, the second time in about nineteen months. While there was property damage and loss of about \$5,000 there was no loss of life.

The heavy rain the previous twenty-four hours raised the creek and brot down much muddy water, which is held to have been the direct cause of the cylinder head letting go. Earlier in the night the water was causing a bit of trouble but employees did not regard it serious. Engineer Eberhart had just left the engine room to inspect a condenser in the boiler room when the explosion took place.

In an instant the mill was dark as the engine took care of the light plant along with that of the heater room. The flood of steam under great pressure forced the doors of the engine room closed and employees were unable to enter the room. The hot steam started the fire sprinklers and in a few seconds the room was deluged with water.

The engine experienced the same trouble about nineteen months ago but it was repaired and had been giving good service. The engine has been in almost constant use since it was installed in 1893.

The company carried boiler and engine insurance which will cover the loss, outside of the plant being idle for probably a month.

W. W. Galloway, general manager, informs us that a representative of the insurance company has inspected the loss and places the blame on muddy water.

The company hopes at some future date to operate the plant with electricity at a future date. This problem will have to be worked out later as the insurance company will not consider any proposition at this time but replacement of the present engine in as good condition as it was before the accident.

While the mill is down most of the employees are given work making improvements and repairs about the plant.

## TWO ARE LEFT OUT OF 310 MEN

Out of 310 men that left Cedarville township and enlisted during the Civil War, but two remain, T. V. Liff and S. K. Williamson. When we consider that Ohio lead the nation, Greene county the state and Cedarville township, the county, one can fully realize how depleted the ranks of the Civil War veterans are today. As far as we are able to learn there are probably not to exceed a dozen veterans living today in the township that once ranked as first in the nation. These twelve or what few there are enlisted from various places.

## COMBINATION SUBSCRIPTIONS

The Herald will receive your subscription for daily papers and all magazines as in the past. We guarantee as low prices or lower in some cases than can be secured elsewhere.

The Herald, Ohio State Journal, and National Stockman, regular price \$6.50. Our price \$5.50.
The Herald, Ohio State Journal, Ohio Farmer, regular price \$6.50. Our price \$5.50.
The Herald, Ohio State Journal, McCall's Magazine, regular price \$7.00. Our price \$6.00.
Herald, Ohio State Journal, Farm and Fireside, regular price \$6.00. Our price \$5.40.
Herald, Ohio State Journal, and Woman's Home Companion, regular price \$7.00. Our price \$6.50.
Herald and Ohio State Journal, regular price \$5.50. Our price \$4.50.
The State Journal and National Stockman or the Ohio Farmer, \$4.50.

This offer is good only to midnight January 31, 1924, and is open to all R. F. D. as well as town residents.

## Asks Movie Pals for \$100,000



Thomas Melchman, Chairman of the Motion Picture State Committee, has undertaken to raise \$100,000 of the million dollar fund to acquire and maintain Monticello, Va., Thomas Jefferson's home, as memorial to the elimination of railroad robbery.

## ALREADY THE BUCKEYES ARE LOOKING UP



## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Exams are over and both pupils and teachers feel somewhat relieved.

Cedarville boys and girls met Ross on Ross floor Friday night. Both local teams won, the boys by a score of 16-8 and the girls 14-9. This is the second game they have won. We are afraid we will have to get new head gear for them if they keep on like that.

Mr. Talcott had a little theatre party for the girls basketball team Saturday afternoon. It proved to be a great success.

Cedarville meets Yellow Springs on the local floor tonight. We are hoping Cedarville will keep up their good work.

We are very sorry to hear that our newly elected basketball captain, Robert Smith is ill and unable to be in school. We all wish the best for him and hope he'll be able to come back soon.

This week is the first week of the Second Semester and so first week of Civics class. It looks as if it will be a promising class by some of answers Mrs. Wilson has received to her questions.

Mrs. Wilson—What do we get for our money when we pay taxes to the government?

Pupil—A receipt.

Mrs. Wilson—Before civilized times the way to settle an argument was by a duel or fist fight. But in more civilized society what would I do?

Floyd Bates—Run.

There was joy in the heart of every Senior Tuesday morning when in a called meeting of the class, they were informed that they would be allowed to graduate without writing orations. Each member of the class will be represented in some way on his commencement program.

## COLLEGE NOTES

The Cedarville College boys and girls basketball teams met the Blas College, Columbus, teams Friday night on the Alford Memorial floor. The girls were successful in defeating their opponents, but the Blas boys proved too much for the home team.

Last Thursday Professor B. E. Robinson took his Economics class through the Hagar Straw Board and Paper Company mills. Mr. Funsatt and Mr. Barlow showed the students how the work was done. Each member of the class will have a keener interest in the texture of paper hereafter.

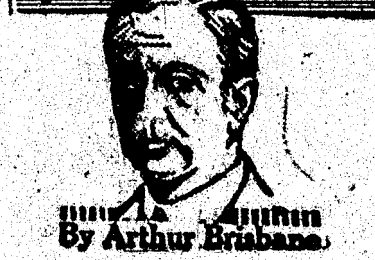
The honors were equally divided at the Cedarville and Wilmington games on the Wilmington floor last Monday night. The Cedarville girls defeated the Wilmington team while the boys lost a hard fought game.

The Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. held a joint meeting Wednesday morning in the chapel in order that all might hear the reports given by Miss Porter and Miss Stuckey, who attended the Student's Volunteer convention at Indianapolis during the Christmas vacation.

## FARM HAND WANTED

Position open to a farm hand on a well improved farm close to town. Nearly new tenant house on good road. Applications to be left at this office.

## This Week



FIXING THE BIBLE  
BRAVE MEN ARE VALUABLE  
POWER IN THE HEAD  
FOUR GREATEST HORSES  
WATCH EUROPE'S EXCHANGE

A Chicago professor translates the Bible and cuts out completely John's story of the woman whom Christ forgave, saying to the collection of old gentlemen with stones in their hands: "He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her."

John never wrote that, says the learned translator; somebody put it in. Another learned man says the Book of John was written two or three hundred years after the death of Christ, and if that be true, John might have missed something.

If now, some other wise person would cut out of the New Testament "The Sermon on the Mount" and "suffer little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not," the job would be perfect.

The story about the woman forgiven, in the eighth chapter of John, is especially interesting, because in all the Bible it contains the only reference to any writing done by Christ: "Jesus stooped down and with His finger wrote on the ground." And that answers in an interesting way other wise men, including Renan, who say that Christ, a simple peasant of Galilee, never could read or write.

It pays to save little things. And some very rich men are rich because they know it. But suggest saving to a young man who has nothing—he smiles compassionately and passes on. Henry Ford doesn't do that. His plant in Detroit wastes waste paper, string, used-up heads of mops, broken nails, nuts, bolts, etc. At the end of a year the saving equals a million dollars a month.

It is planned to send the dirigible Shenandoah to the North Pole; an interesting idea, but some engineers and others declare the Shenandoah unfit for such a journey. If there is no such North Pole trip, and men of high authority should take no needless risk with others, especially as they themselves would not be included in the crew.

Men were sent to their death in badly made flying machines during the war. But that was war. This is peace, and men able and brave enough for that North Pole trip are valuable. A mere trip of interesting scientific investigation may well be postponed until it can be made safely.

Man is an inferior animal, science tells you. If you were as strong as an ant you could lift 120 tons. If as agile as a flea, you could jump over a tall building. What of it?

By pressing a button, working machine created by his brain, man can lift many thousands of tons. He can't jump like a flea, but he can go

up in a flying machine and stay up. The flea cannot do this better to have the power in your head, than in leg, or arm.

"Market buoyant" is a big turnover, says the Wall Street line yesterday. Somebody bought 1,319,000 shares of various stocks and nearly all of them traveled.

It would be hard to cause gloom as regards country prosperity. If lawmen could allow enough immigrants to consume surplus products, country would be even better.

The worker who makes immigrants would reduce the number of immigrants in the country, from six to ten times as much as he made when there were only 4,000,000 people here.

The four greatest race horses in the world—or at least the four best advertised—Zev, Papyrus, Epinead and Grey Lag, will race this year at Ascot. Any one of these horses would sell for a least \$100,000. The automobile show, not far off, will show you various cars, selling for a few hundred dollars, anyone of which could take the four greatest race horses, one after another and run them all to death in one afternoon. Once fast horses were important. Now they are part of gambling machinery, and they won't last long.

For real news of Europe watch the exchange market. What the world thinks of a nation's money tells what the world thinks of that nation and its position. Yesterday the franc fell below five cents, the lowest record. The French public debt, in three years has risen from 200 billion to 400 billion francs. War does not pay, especially if you keep it up after it ought to be ended.

## MARTINDALE NOW HAS ACCREDITED HERD

George Martindale has received notice that his dairy herd of 65 head had passed the second successful tuberculosis test as directed by a Federal agent. His list now goes on the accredited list and places the Shady-side dairy on par with the best in the country. Mr. Martindale states that he has 40 head of pure-bred Jerseys and fifteen grades. He expects to eliminate the grades with pure-bred calves that are coming on. We doubt if there is a dairy in the county that is selling milk of better quality and the per cent of butter fat that Mr. Martindale is producing. Milk sold under inspection to public eating houses in Dayton and Springfield has no comparison to the product of the Shady-side dairy.

An unusual suit has been filed in Supreme Court against Union Co. auditor. At the last election the taxpayers in six school districts in that county defeated an extra tax levy for schools. There is a law that permits the state director of education to require the county auditor to certify an additional tax levy in districts where the regular levy does not provide sufficient funds. The state director ordered the auditor to do this and he has refused. The attorney general has filed a suit to compel the levy to be made and it is up to the court to decide.

## UNUSUAL SUIT BROUGHT FOR TAX LEVY

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## CONDENSED OHIO NEWS

News Items Picked at Random and Boiled Down for the Busy Reader

Three workmen were killed at the plant of the Atlas Chemical company at Toledo by inhaling gas in an underground box containing valves regulating the flow of artificial gas from one storage tank to another at the firm's plant. The dead were Brandon O'Donnell, 24, Massan O'Donnell, 40, and Harry Miller, 32.

Overcome by bentonite fumes at the plant of the Bakelite corporation at Parisville, William Whitman, 19, was carried to safety by his friend, Ralph Yoke, 21, of Fairport. Yoke died from effects of fumes.

Carroll Thompson announced at Cleveland he will not enter the race for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. Instead he will assist President Coolidge in his campaign for the Republican presidential nomination.

Edward Hoover, 45, was killed instantly at an ironing plant when his right arm was caught in a screw conveyor, hauling him violently against a concrete wall.

Steel mill operating schedules announced at Youngstown for the week show better operations than at any time since September.

Lancaster is facing a deficit of \$23,000 for its running expenses, due to a budget revision by which the city's revenue from county taxes was reduced 1.1 mills, that amount being added to schools.

John N. Carruthers, special state prohibition agent, arrested at Youngstown by county authorities, confessed, according to his interrogators, that he had taken bribes from violators of the liquor law.

When Mrs. Harry Leeka was halted by two masked bandits in Cincinnati she dropped \$55 to the ground and slipped three diamond rings valued at \$3,000 into her mouth. The bandits searched her, found nothing and ordered her to drive away. She returned later and recovered the money.

At Alliance Frank Yoder, 67, was almost instantly killed when he fell from a scaffold.

Death came to Mrs. Minnie Reinhold on her birthday while she was returning from a church meeting at New Philadelphia. She was struck and killed by an automobile.

Mike Boush, 30, was shot to death and Joe Pashy seriously wounded as a result of a bandit raid on an alleged gambling game at Neffs, near Columbus.

Frank Simonds, 27, under indictment at Bowling Green on a charge of slaying E. D. Kees on Feb. 15, 1919, pleaded guilty to a second degree murder charge and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Former Governor Harry L. Davis, his wife, child and a nurse employed in the Davis home in Cleveland were placed under the 14 day treatment following the discovery of cadaverous odor from a dog. The dog was feared had bitten all four.

Harley T. Butler, 43, and his son, Robert, 7, were burned seriously in a fire that destroyed a dwelling in Springfield.

Foster Robo was hurt perhaps fatally when his head was crushed near Logan. His car was the same one that killed James Kelley several weeks ago.

Fayette county farmers fear that the recent low temperature has greatly damaged corn for seed, as much corn was of low germinating power.

G. P. Cornell was elected president of the Madison county run bureau. Clinton county's 1924 fair will be held July 28, 29, 30 and 31, and Aug. 1.

Four of the 10 schools in Kirkwood township, Belmont county, are closed as the result of the failure of the National Bank of Barneville, teachers quitting because they have no assurance of receiving their wages. The township district and \$3,700 in the bank when it failed.

At Canton Walter B. Bowen 35, city fireman, was internally injured and five other firemen suffered slight injuries when a ladder on which they were standing while fighting a fire was blown over by an explosion in a building.

Charles McDonald, 13, was drowned in the icy back waters of a creek near his home at McDermott, Scioto county.

A bullet from a revolver which he carried in his inside pocket and which was discharged while he was cracking his automobile, caused the death of James Wallace at Youngstown.

L. W. Rizzi business block, Youngstown, was damaged to the extent of \$70,000 by fire.

At a meeting of the Democratic state central committee it was decided to hold the Democratic state convention in Columbus May 14. Delegates to the state meeting will be elected in the presidential primary.

April 21, on the basis of one for each 500 votes cast for governor in 1922, and one for each fraction of 500, in each county.

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Anthony Bubio, a bank guard on his way to work in Cleveland, was shot and seriously wounded when he tried a flying tackle at one of three armed bandits who were running away after backing up and rubbing Wyster Fedick of \$150 in his west side grocery and meat shop.

In the presence of his wife, George Barry, 38, retired, ended his life at Dayton by slashing his throat with a razor. He had been ill.

William Mohler, 78, was taken to Lima from Bluffton, to be questioned in connection with the death of his wife, Mrs. Katherine Mohler, 70, who disappeared recently and whose dismembered body was found in an abandoned cistern, near Bluffton.

Eight schools will compete at Tiffin in the annual oratorical contest, to be held Feb. 15. Members are Woster, Muskingum, Otterbein, Wittenberg, Baldwin-Wallace, Elham, Heidelberg and Oberlin.

Loss of several thousand dollars' worth of jewelry at the residence of J. A. Aull, banker, at Middletown was reported to police. The jewels were taken, police believe, from an upstairs bedroom.

Measure George Leasure of Delphos announced that gambling, liquor law violations, frequenting poolrooms by boys under 18 and traffic law violations have been placed under the ban.

Charles Stopkey, engineer, was fatally injured and his son, Charles, Jr., and daughter, Hazel, 7, slightly hurt when a home-made hot-water heater in the cellar at their home in Cincinnati exploded.

Katherine Plimigote, 3, died at Youngstown as a result of falling into a tub of boiling soap. Soap, which splashed on her brother, aged 18 months, caused serious burns. He is in a hospital.

Motion picture films in which either Mabel Normand or Edna Purviance has a part are permanently barred from exhibition in Ohio, Vernon Riegle, state education director, announced, following action of the state board of censors.

Elsie May Thomas, 8, Martins Ferry, is dead of burns sustained when she fell into a tub of scalding water placed on the floor for use in scrubbing a porch.

Lamkie Risti, 32, was instantly killed when they were struck by a train at Elyria.

James J. Davis, secretary of labor of the United States, was announced as one of the principal speakers for the annual McKinley day banquet at Canton. The banquet will be held Jan. 29.

Home of F. E. Hurley at Findlay was damaged \$10,000 by fire.

William Markee, 42, Toledo, was killed near Rossford when he was hurled from an automobile, which skidded on an icy road.

Mrs. Rosa Otting was struck by an automobile and instantly killed when crossing the street near her home in Cincinnati.

Idleness in eastern Ohio coal mines is resulting in an exceptionally large number of applications of foreigners for citizenship papers in the office of the Belmont county clerk of courts.

Vocational schools for coal miners will be started soon in Athens county under the Smith-Hughes act.

Harry Wood finished 25 years of service as a rural carrier out of the Mechanicsburg office.

Crime is neither increasing or decreasing in Ohio, but just about holding its own, according to a report on the population of state penal institutions made by John E. McNamara, assistant welfare director. Totals for the five penal institutions of the state Dec. 31, 1923, are 5,535, as compared with 5,643 on June 30 of the same year.

Federal dry enforcement officers in Ohio had a busy time during December, with the result that 112 cases were heard and 98 arrests were made.

Fire virtually destroyed the plant of the Lebanon Patriot, the oldest Democratic newspaper in Warren county.

Frederic O. Dalton, fireman, lost both legs when two fire trucks collided in Columbus while responding to an alarm.

Plant of the Ashtabula Fish company at Ashtabula was destroyed by fire. Damage is estimated at \$100,000. A thief entered the office of the Merchant & Gerber Coal company at Newark and carried away a heating stove, in which a fire had been banked for the night, and a stove box full of coal.

Dan Clifford, 66, died as a result of being struck a few doors from his residence in Columbus by an automobile.

Fire seriously damaged the Arlington hotel at Marion. Michael Bennett, 19, employed at the Ohio State university power plant, Columbus, was killed almost instantly when struck by a locomotive crane.

Elmer Rejner, 19, and Howard Belinski, 18, were drowned while skating on Myers lake, near Canton.

Nicholas Wolfbein, 71, of Columbus, was killed and two companions were painfully bruised when the automobile in which they were riding skidded over an embankment near Loudonville.

Mrs. Dan Hosetter, 35, and her 5-year-old daughter were instantly killed when the machine in which they were riding was struck by a train at Eastview, a village 11 miles north of Canton. Another daughter, 3, was seriously injured.

## RE-VALUATION OF PROPERTY LIKELY

Every farm owner and every home owner in Greene county is to have a chance to express himself on Monday, February 4, whether he or she wants a revaluation of property for taxation.

Columbus is trying to force a revaluation in many counties in its state, this move of course being under the direction of the state Tax Commission.

The Commissioners and auditor are between state officials and local citizens on this question. It is a matter that can be settled to the satisfaction of all if there is large enough representation at a meeting called by the Commissioners in Xenia, for Monday, February 4 at 10 A. M. Those who favor a re-valuation are expected to present their views. The proposition it might be said is stated affirmatively and unless those who oppose it appear in person or so express themselves by letter to the commissioners it will be taken for granted that property owners, town and in the townships, desire it.

The following is the recommendation of the Auditor to the Commissioners:

To the Honorable Members of the Board of County Commissioners:

Hon. Sirs:

In accordance with Sec. 5548 Gen. Code of State of Ohio, I herewith submit to you my findings regarding the valuation of real estate in Greene County.

By comparing the actual selling value of farm land with the prevailing prices are not far in excess of the land values carried for taxation. However the values carried on the tax duplicate for buildings and improvements are in the great majority of cases below the real, or replacement value.

Further, in the municipalities of our county, I find the values of vacant lots and parcels of unimproved land are on the low side.

A few tracts which have been recently platted. The building and improvements in the villages and city of Xenia, are not on the tax duplicate at their true or replacement value.

As the result of no reappraisal having been made since the year 1910, there has accumulated upon the tax duplicate of the county a vast number of unjust inequalities which cannot be properly adjusted without a general re-appraisal.

Yours respectfully,  
R. O. Wead,  
Auditor of Greene County, O.

From this recommendation it is clear that we are to have a revaluation unless property owners and farmers go to Xenia, Feb. 4 and register a protest. The commissioners have given you this chance and it is now up to every property owner. The larger the number of property owners at this meeting the easier it will be for the commissioners to get a line on public sentiment.

Property owners should ever keep in mind that re-valuations are made downward only in exceptional cases. Nine times out of ten the revaluation is upward.

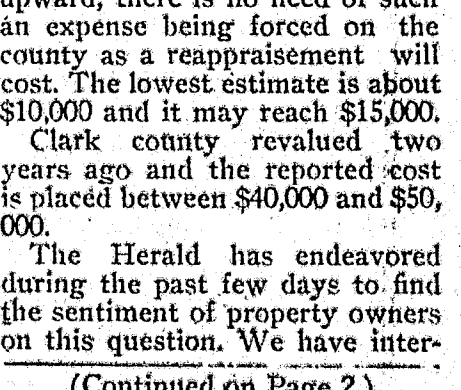
Unless we have a revaluation upward, there is no need of such an expense being forced on the county as a reappraisal will cost. The lowest estimate is about \$10,000 and it may reach \$15,000.

Clark county revalued two years ago and the reported cost is placed between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

The Herald has endeavored during the past few days to find the sentiment of property owners on this question. We have interviewed many of them.

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## Widow to Graduate Again at 48



Mrs. A. R. McDonald, of Evanson, Ill., widow, 48, and mother of four young children, will graduate this spring from Northwestern University at Chicago. Two of her children have finished college and two are students. She graduated at Oberlin, Ohio, in 1887.



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#### BETTER GO SLOW ON TAX RE-VALUATION

The proposal to re-value all the real estate in the county for tax purposes should interest every home owner. The farm owner as well as the renter.

There are a few things that would lead one to favor a revision at the present time, particularly those inequalities that County Auditor Wead refers to in his recommendation to the commissioners. If additional funds were necessary for the operation of the county a revaluation would be a wise step.

As we view it there are many reasons why the revaluation should be deferred.

Ohio has a tax system that is far behind what some other states enjoy. Just this week we find an association meeting in Columbus to devise a new system that will be approved by the tax payers. Whether such a system is possible we do not know yet we are safe in saying some change will be made before many years. It is an undisputed fact that no tax law or tax system has ever been adopted that did not provide for raising more money than saving from the point of the tax payer. For this one reason alone we should not attempt a higher valuation at this time. You can always increase tax valuations on property but few there are who can cite a single time when a re-valuation in this county or any other brought a general reduction.

Real estate has always carried the bulk of the tax load. It is now time to seek other sources for increasing revenue. We are soon to have a gasoline tax without any question. This revenue will take care of our roads. At the meeting in Columbus this week an income tax for every man and woman in the state was urged. Income taxes raised by states have very low exemptions and few will escape. The demand of the public at this time is for a reduction of taxes. The public is aroused on this subject. We know the commissioners have no desire to force anything on the public and the same can be said of our auditor. They have official duties that must be performed however distasteful they may be to them personally. They have put the re-valuation question up to the people. If you favor it stay at home and give your consent. If you are opposed you had better attend the meeting in Xenia February 4 at 10 a. m. and give your views.

#### REVALUATION OF PROPERTY LIKELY

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viewed twenty-five or more of our leading citizens, both town and township real estate owners and we have not found a single man that openly sanctions a re-valuation at this time.

We give a few of the reasons advanced against it:

Revaluation is for no other purpose than raising more money. The demand of the time is for lower taxes, federal, state and county.

The only way we can keep our taxes from increasing is to keep the valuation down.

The present valuation was taken in 1914 when farm and business conditions were about as today. Consequently no call for a revaluation.

To increase valuations on town property will be but forcing rents higher than at present. Increased rentals for business property in Xenia or the villages of the county only means the consumer must pay this increase for rents in the merchandise he buys.

A well known farmer who lives near the Clark county line expressed himself as follows: "All the information the commissioners need is to find out what happened to the commissioners in Clark county after ordering a revaluation. Every member was defeated, the County Auditor became unpopular that he was forced to resign and locate in another county."

Your presence at the meeting in Xenia, February 4, will have as much to do with the action of the commissioners as anything. In fact the commissioners want to hear from you, but not about your complaining after it is over.

R. P. SERVICES; SABBATH JANUARY 20.

Sabbath School at 9:30. Classes for all. Come and learn how God delivered His people from Egyptian bondage. Study with us about "The Original Moses." A warm welcome awaits you.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M. This is the second of the series of sermon-studies in personal Evangelism. Subject: "The Message that Will Win." A sermon saturated with the Word of God. Bring a friend with you.

The Junior C. E. Society will meet in the Vestry at 2:30 P. M. All Juniors are urged to attend this service.

C. E. Society meets at 6 P. M. Subject: "Gospel Triumphs in Japan."

The union service of the evening will be held in the Methodist church. Glad to have you worship with us. If not otherwise connected, YOU are especially invited.

#### NOTICE TO SHARE HOLDERS OF CEDARVILLE BUILDING & LOAN

The annual election for directors of the Cedarville Building & Loan will be held at the Township Clerk's office, Saturday, Feb. 2 between the hours of Seven and nine.

Andrew Jackson, Secretary

#### GLEN WEIKERT, Auctioneer

1505 East High Street  
Phone No. Main 1137-W  
Springfield, Ohio.

#### LOCAL PLAYERS TAKE HONORS FROM XENIA

The McCorkell pool team composed of Thad Miller, Charles Bratton, Pressly Townsley, Ewd. Harper played another match game with a picked team in Xenia Wednesday night. The score was 403 to 288 in favor of the local team. This is the sixth game the local team has played and won all of them. Xenia with her best players has failed to make a good showing.

Wild Horses Live Longer. In a wild state a horse lives to be thirty-five or forty years old, while the domestic horse is as a rule dead at twenty-five.

#### SUIT BROUGHT ON PROMISSORY NOTES

Three promissory notes are involved in the case of Thos. McClelland and Rache McClelland, against Mrs. Kate Jackson and D. S. Williamson, as her guardian. The petition alleges D. S. Williamson is guardian of Mrs. Kate Jackson and that on July 15 1910, she gave her promissory note to the United Presbyterian Theological Seminary for \$2,900, secured by mortgage on 150.20 acres of land. The plaintiff alleges there is still \$2,000 due and unpaid on this note, which was assigned and transferred to the plaintiffs in 1920. The plaintiffs allege D. S. Williamson gave them two promissory notes, each for \$1,000, also secured by mortgage on the same property, which remains unpaid. They ask for judgment and foreclosure and sale. Kyle and Kyle are attorneys for the plaintiffs.

#### CEMENT FACTORY FOR BATH TOWNSHIP

The Wabash Portland Cement company of Indiana has purchased two farms in Bath township, for locating a cement factory. The company has taken over the Anell Powers farm of 109 acres and 20 acres belonging to M. N. Hunter at Reed's hill. This land is of the kind of limestone that is rich in cement properties. The company has been making tests for several months.

#### XENIA FIRM INCORPORATED SATURDAY

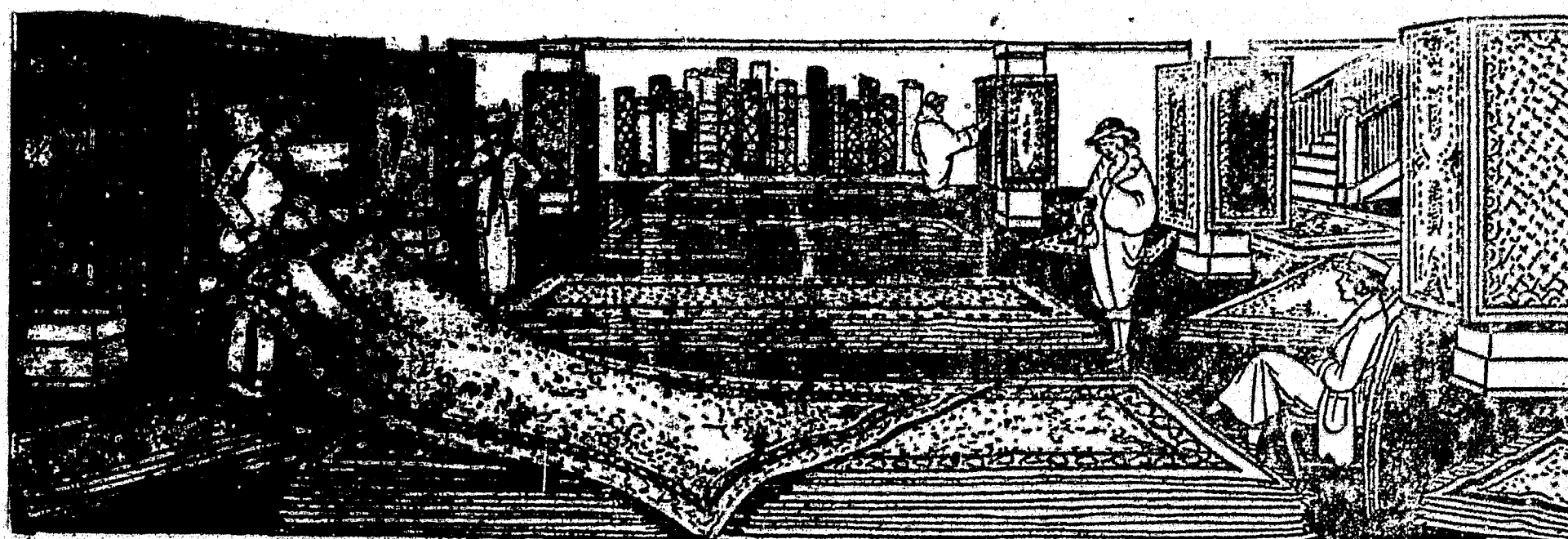
The R. D. Adair Company, furniture dealers, Xenia, was incorporated at Columbus Saturday with \$30,000 capital. The incorporators were R. D. Adair and wife, Charles Adair and wife and James Adair and wife.

#### TO ADDRESS BUREAU

L. B. Palmer, president of the Ohio Farm Bureau federation, is to speak before the county bureau Tuesday, Jan. 29 at the assembly room in the courthouse. The address will be given in the afternoon.

## The Home Store

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.



## Sensational Reductions On The Best Rugs

A 30,000 Stock to Be Sold Before Inventory February First. High Grade Rugs All Biglow Makes. They speak for Themselves. Sale Price Lower Than for Several Years Past.

#### Heavy Wilton Velvet Rugs With Linen Fringe Ends

**\$39.50** 9x12 attractive rugs of distinctive designs which will add beauty and charm to the finest home. Could we add more persuasive argument than to simply state they are heavy Velvets and in the Sale Series.

—9x12. These heavy Wiltons, famed for their beauty and rich colorings, bring decorative art to any room. For durability, you can find no better rug investment. **\$67.50**

—9x12 Royal Wilton rugs show a variety of lovely rug patterns in a perfect blending of beautiful colorings. A personal visit before rug buying will be most economizing. **\$79.50**

Other Sizes Show Reductions. 2'x5'4" in. to 12'x15' 6"

#### Bigelow Axminster Rugs Real Quality Rugs

**\$42.50** 9x12 Bigelow-Bussorah Axminster Rugs, 'not a hand-fun, but many patterns to pick from. The most attractive colorings among them. Extra special for the sale.

—11.3x12—A large size that is always scarce, may be had in fifty designs and colors that will add cheer to any room in the home. They are of a quality we are very proud to offer at **\$67.50**

—8x15—A size always hard to find, but here they are in plenty in the good standard quality. Bigelow-Bussorah Axminsters. These are very moderately priced for the sale at **\$69.50**

#### Brussels Rugs Within Reach of Every Purse

**\$21.50** —8.3x10.6 a necessary size for many rooms, the quality can be relied upon, the patterns are colorful and attractive, in pleasing combinations, on sale for \$21.50.

—8x12, a large size, in many different designs. Such rugs will add cheer to any room, and they are particularly adapted for dining and bed rooms, in the Sale Series for **\$22.85**

—11.3x12—In this heavy Brussels you have an opportunity to buy a rug suitable for the living or dining room at extremely low price for an unusually good quality on sale for **\$27.50**

Other Sizes 11.3x12, 11.3x15 7.6x9, 6'x9

\$500,000 Stock of Dry Goods and Garments in the January Clearance Sale. Savings from One-Third to One-Half.

#### Uncle John's Josh

IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE COOPERATION PAYS - JUST WATCH WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A WHEEL COMES OFF A AUTOMOBILE THAT'S GOIN'!



## The Criterion's ANNUAL WINTER SALE

of Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Furnishings. The Men's Suits and Overcoats are reduced as follows:

\$25.00 and \$27.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS reduced to.....	<b>\$19.50</b>
\$30.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS reduced to.....	<b>\$23.50</b>
\$35.00 and \$37.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS reduced to.....	<b>\$27.50</b>
\$40.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS reduced to.....	<b>\$31.50</b>
\$45.00 and \$47.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS reduced to.....	<b>\$35.50</b>
\$50.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS reduced to.....	<b>\$39.50</b>

Manhattan and Yorke Shirts reduced. Men's and Boys' Sweaters reduced. 20 Per Cent off on all Corduroy and Heavy Work Clothing.

The Criterion  
"A Store for Dad and the Boys"

22 South Detroit Street,

Xenia, Ohio



## "Give me 80 miles of gas"

If gas could be bought on a mile-per-gallon basis, how differently the motorist would select his fuel. "Give me 80 miles of gas." Sounds funny but that's practically what it amounts to. You pay so much for so much gas and expect a certain mileage in return.

If you will measure the mileage cost per gallon on Columbus Gasoline you'll become a steady Columbus customer. Thousands of motorists use only pure Columbus Gasoline. Try it for more mileage, better pickup, more power, smoother running.

# Columbus Gasoline

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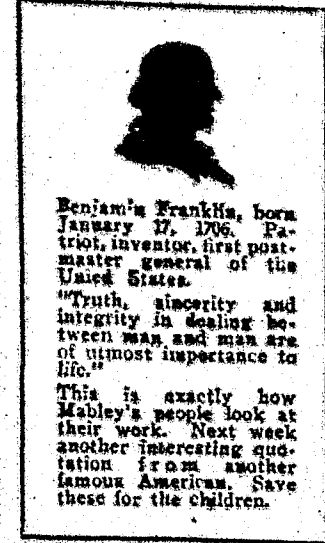
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## Famous Americans and Their Sayings



Next week, beginning on Monday the 21st, we start the big clean up.

OUR ONLY WINTER

### Clearance Sale

means a lot to our friends who take advantage of its offerings. Every item offered in this sale is backed up by Mabley's desire to serve you well.

**The Mabley and Carow Co.**  
A Good Store — Cincinnati

## VICTORY THEATER DAYTON

ALL WEEK-END JANUARY 27 BEGINNING

POPULAR WED. MAT.—SATURDAY MAT.

The Greatest Dramatic Success in the History of the World

## THE FOOL

STORY OF BIG PROBLEMS AND A CHANCE WITH THE CHICAGO CAST.  
MAIL ORDERS  
WED. MAT., 8:00 to 11:00  
SAT. MAT., 8:00 to 11:00

## HELPFUL HINTS

By Alveda

Mr. Mabley: This newspaper will publish helpful hints in this form in your paper. It is a good idea to keep them in your home.

**Homes de Cement.**—It is no necessary to buy cement. A very good one may be made by following this simple recipe: Mix some plaster of Paris with the white of an egg to the consistency of cream. This is as good as any prepared cement and a good deal cheaper.

**After Cleaning Clothes.**—Very often after cleaning clothes with gasoline a ring will be left. This may be removed by steaming over a tea-kettle.

**Silver.**—If silver is put into a pan of sour milk and allowed to stand overnight, it will be bright and shiny in the morning.

**Pipes.**—The pipes in a sink need never become stopped up if just a little precaution is exercised. If a cup of kerosene is poured down the drain once a month, followed by two gallons of boiling water the next morning, there should never be any trouble. The kerosene cuts the grease and the boiling water washes it away.

**Making a Vase.**—A pretty vase or flower container may be made from an old bottle. That sounds strange, doesn't it—but it's so. First, saturate a cord in either kerosene or turpentine and tie around the neck of the bottle at the place you wish to cut it off. Then light the two ends of the cord and turn the bottle slowly so that the heat may be evenly distributed. Third and lastly, plunge into cold water and the neck will break off evenly.

**The Grater.**—After grating either lemons or cheese, a very stiffened brush will thoroughly cleanse the grater.

**Candle Grease on Linen.**—Candle grease may be removed from any linen article by putting a blotter under the piece and using a warm iron. Let the iron stand on the material long enough to melt all the grease, which will be absorbed by the blotter.

## Ohio State Journal Annual Bargain Offer Attracting Their Attention in Effect Throughout January

The farmers are very much interested in The Ohio State Journal's Annual Bargain Offer, which is in effect throughout the month of January.

It is a well established fact that The Ohio State Journal provides a wonderful daily news service for the farmer. Being the only morning newspaper published in Columbus or Central Ohio, The Ohio State Journal has a big advantage in supplying the rural route patrons with the news first.

The recent death of President Harding aptly illustrates the superiority of The Ohio State Journal news service. Afternoon papers, dated for the next day, announced (the day following his death) that the president was better. On the same rural mail delivery The Ohio State Journal reached subscribers with the announcement of the president's death. At the hour the predated papers were sent out the condition of President Harding was considered satisfactory but before the hour for The Ohio State Journal to go to press, he died. As a result, Ohio State Journal rural route patrons were apprised of President Harding's death 24 hours in advance of those reading the pre-dated papers.

One of the big features of The Ohio State Journal is the market page, containing the latest grain, live stock and produce market reports. These quotations are depended upon by thousands of farmers who find them necessary in connection with their business. The Associated Press news service, covering the entire world; state news; Andy Gump, Mutt and Jeff, letters from our readers, continued stories, and many other features, all contribute to the making of this great newspaper.

The price of The Ohio State Journal is \$4 a year. During the period of the bargain offer an unusually attractive list of club publications is being offered at

greatly reduced prices. One offer makes it possible to secure The Ohio State Journal one year, and either The Ohio Farmer, National Stockman or Today's Magazine, for \$4.50. Subscriptions will be accepted at this office or may be sent direct to The Ohio State Journal, Columbus, Ohio.

Take advantage of our rates on combination subscriptions for the Ohio State Journal, Herald, Ohio Farmer, Stockman or any magazine you may want.

## New Words, New Words! thousands of them spelled, pronounced, and defined in WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY

Here are a few samples

broadcast	abandon
agrimotor	hot pursuit
Blue Cross	mystery ship
rotogravure	junior college
Eschschia	askari
allograph	cypher
Flag Day	supple
mud gun	sterol
Ruthene	Swaraj
rolltop	taiga
sugamo	sokol
psorale	soviet
duvetyr	realtor
Czechoslovak	camp-dre girl
artificial	air Council
Devil Dog	activation
Federal Land Bank	

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## THE MUSIC-MAKERS ARE SINGERS, INSTRUMENTALISTS AND FUNSTERS



Here are four lively, peppy young Americans who are not only good singers, but they are exceptionally good performers on trombone, cornet, and other instruments as well. The outstanding feature of their program is the professional atmosphere noted throughout. Their playing demonstrates a highly developed technique and they are better than the average in their vocal work. The combination is rare indeed. They are players, singers and funsters, and they are four excellent performers in everything they do.

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## DOLLARS MUST BE PLANTED TO GROW

But unlike crops they can be planted at any time. If you have idle money that is not working for you or that is drawing but two or three per cent interest invest it now with us under our SPECIAL CERTIFICATE PLAN and it will earn

**6% INTEREST**

with absolute safety. Every dollar is secured by first mortgage on valuable Clark County Real Estate. Full information on request.

## The Springfield Building & Loan Association

28 East Main Street,

Springfield, Ohio

**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

## Looking Ahead

LAST Spring a total of 350,000 people were disappointed in not being able to obtain deliveries of Ford Cars and Trucks, as orders were placed faster than cars could be produced.

The demand for Ford Cars and Trucks this Spring will, according to all indications, be far greater than last Spring.

Winter buying has been increasing at a greater rate than ever before.

Actual retail deliveries the past 60 days totaled 308,170 Ford Cars and Trucks, an increase of 1,961 a day over a year ago.

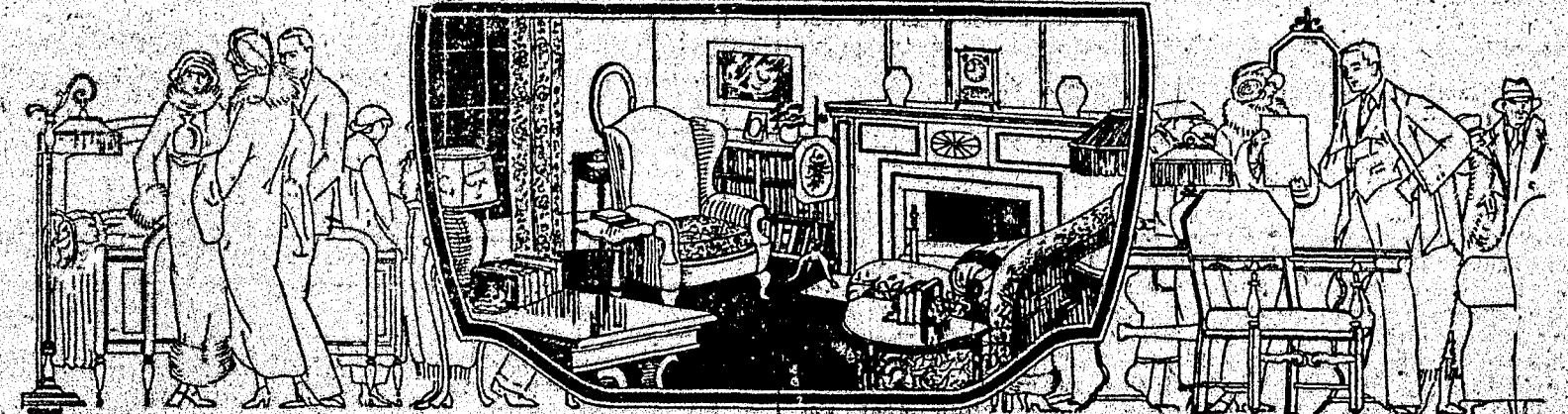
Over 200,000 people have already ordered Ford products on our purchase plan, the majority of whom will take delivery in the Spring.

The above facts are given with the suggestion that you list your order promptly with a Ford dealer if you contemplate the purchase of a Ford Car or Truck for use this Spring or Summer and wish to avoid delay in delivery.

**Ford Motor Company**  
Detroit, Michigan

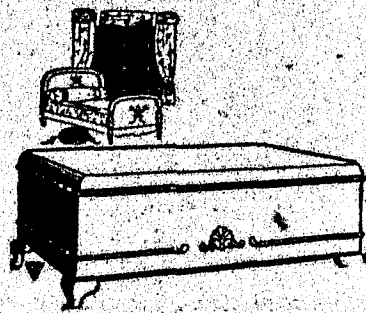
You need not pay cash for your car. You can arrange to make a small deposit down, taking care of the balance in easy payments. Or, you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan. This puts you on the preferred order list and insures delivery of your car at a time to be determined by yourself.

R. A. MURDOCK  
Cedarville, Ohio



## January Sale Going BIG!

\*Small wonder that thrifty folks have responded instantly to the splendid values we are offering during this sale. Remember—this merchandise is our regular stock and not low quality goods gotten in especially for this sale.



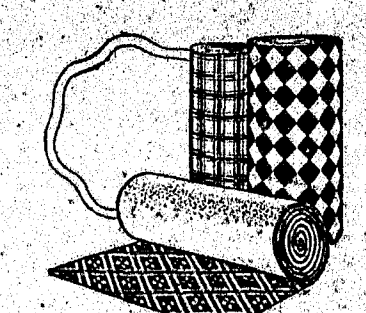
Extra Special \$60.00 Dufold Sale Price, **\$51.00**

Easily opens into a full sized bed

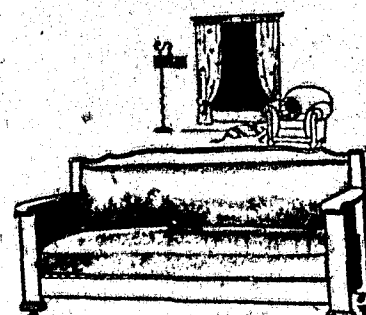


**3-PIECE OVER-STUFFED SUITE \$148.00**  
Just see what is included in this suite! A luxurious day-enport, easy chair and rooey rocker, all upholstered in good quality of Velour.

**BUY IT NOW—And Pocket the Difference.**

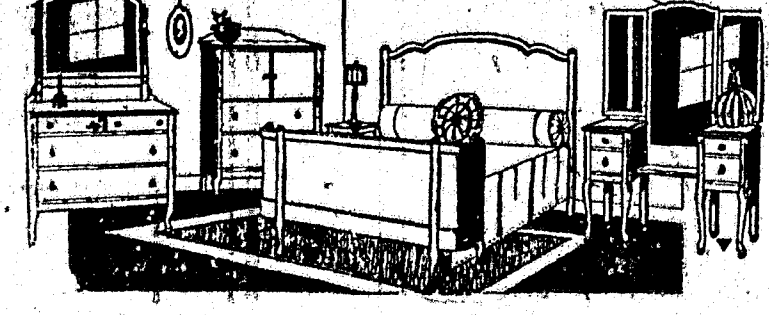


**LINOLEUM**  
Genuine Burlap back cork Linoleum at \$1.00 and \$1.10 Per square yard. Felt base at lower prices.



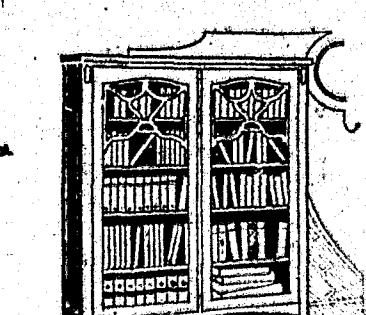
**CEDAR CHESTS \$15.00**

Genuine Red Cedar, moth proof and constructed so that they will last a life time.

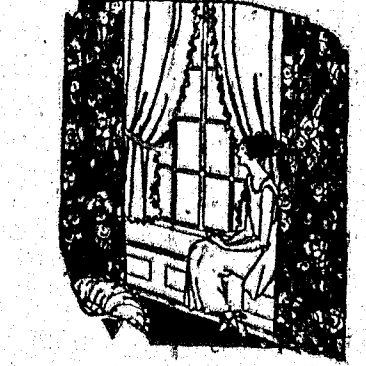


**SAVE ON THIS 4-PIECE BED ROOM SUITE \$145.00**

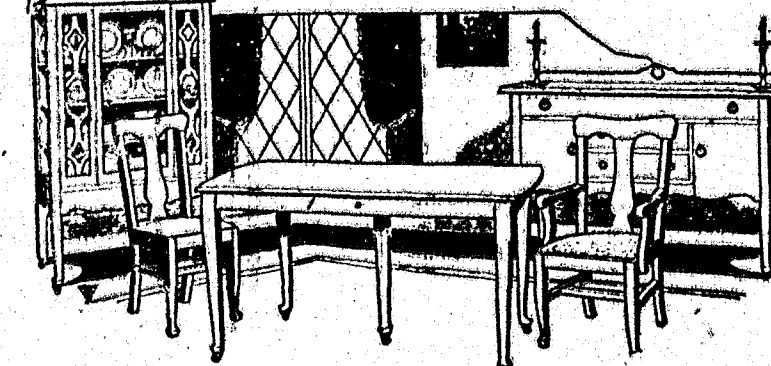
Another startling value at a big saving! This delightful bedroom suite includes a full sized bow end bed, full vanity dressing table, handsome dresser and chiffoniere—all artistically designed in the popular Queen Anne period styles and charmingly finished in walnut. Come tomorrow.



**2 BOOK-CASES REDUCED**  
Golden oak finish.



**DRAPERIES**  
—Pongee  
—Gauze  
—Terry Cloth  
—Cretonnes  
—Nets.



**8-PIECE DINING SUITE SLASHED \$125.00**  
Included is a splendid oblong table, handsome 60 in. buffet, 5 chairs and host chair with genuine leather seats. Genuine Walnut Veneer.



**GUARANTEED MATTRESSES**  
45 lb. Felt, Good quality ticking. **\$12.75**

## Galloway & Cherry

36-38 West Main Street,

Xenia, Ohio



## HOW THE NATION IS PROTECTED FROM SERIOUS DISASTER

City Without a Reserve Water Supply Against Destruction by Fire Likened by Bankers' Committee to Business Situation Without Federal Reserve System.

A vital element in everybody's prosperity is that mysterious sounding something or other called *bank reserves*, says the Committee on Public Accounts of the American Bankers Association, adding: "It isn't an easy matter to make simple and interesting, but its importance to every man, woman and child in the country makes the effort worth while." The Committee continues:

Money on deposit must always be ready for depositors when they desire it. Banks must also be ready to loan money, when needed, to their customers, and business would be hampered. In other words, prosperity depends largely on the ability of the banks to meet these demands—that is, depends on the "bank reserves." The problem of handling reserves has been difficult. The Federal Reserve System has met the problem more satisfactorily than any other method ever tried in this country.

The Great Solution  
Our banks are managed by owners and directors, elected by their own stockholders. They are interested in helping the town to prosper and prosper. But just as a local telephone station is valuable to the interchange of thought because it belongs to a system whose wires reach to all parts of the nation, so the local bank is valuable to the interchange of business because of its connection with other banks in the United States, finding its strength and its usefulness in being part of a system.

For many years a plan was sought whereby our thousands of separate and independent banks could get together and cooperate for the improvement of our banking methods, and for mutual protection in emergencies, both for themselves and customers. We had periodical money panics, dangerously disturbing to business, and chargeable, in large part, to defects in our banking and currency system. There was no central bank from which the individual banks could get assistance in time of trouble. Panic conditions caused weak banks to fail, and even strong and sound institutions to be imperilled. Bankers, business men, and leaders in Congress for years made a careful study of banking and finally Congress passed a law providing for the establishment of twelve great Federal Reserve Banks, each designed to serve as a sort of central bank for such banks in its allotted territory as might become members of the Federal Reserve System.

It retained the American plan of independent banks doing business under the management of their own directors and officers. About 10,000 banks have become members of the Federal Reserve System. The member banks in every district own the entire stock of the Federal Reserve bank there, and elect two-thirds of the directors. The other directors are appointed by the Federal Reserve Board at Washington, the Government body having supervision over the Reserve banks, though it does not operate them. Its members are appointed by the President of the United States. The Federal Reserve banks hold member banks' reserves. Formerly

each bank carried in its own vault the cash required by law as a legal reserve so that it would be ready to pay depositors on demand. This old supply of the currency was thus scattered among thousands of independent banks.

When Fire Rages  
This situation may be likened to the old-time water supply in a town. Each house had to depend on its individual well, tank, or cistern. Picture such a town attacked by fire. If the water was low in one well, from drought, or excessive use, water would have to be borrowed from a neighboring well. Suppose the water in that well also was at a low level. Thus the safety of all was sacrificed because no RESERVE water supply was at hand. The fire would become a conflagration.

Under the Federal Reserve System, we have a series of modern reservoirs, located in various parts of the country, each serving the needs of the banks in its own district. In each of these reservoirs credit is stored up to be supplied to the various banks, as the need arises. Each reservoir is in turn connected with all the others so that when the supply in one becomes low, the others may be temporarily drawn upon. By gathering the gold reserves of the member banks into the twelve Federal Reserve banks, a result has been obtained like that yielded by the construction of a great city water supply.

Each member bank formerly had to depend almost entirely upon its own resources in making loans to its customers. When it had loaned all of its own money, it could do no more, even though the merchant, manufacturer, or farmer customer had great need of more credit, and was seeking it for highly important and necessary purposes. Hence arose what was called a "tight money" situation. Now the member bank can, and frequently does take the notes of its customers to the Federal Reserve bank, and borrows there in much the same way as the customer borrows from the member bank.

This reserve-storing and loaning work of the Reserve System is only part of the wonderful protection and service it is rendering the nation.

### GETTING THE IDEA



Closer fellowship between bankers and farmers was urged and a resolution adopted affirming faith in the efficacy of the co-operative marketing idea at a meeting of the American Bankers Association Agricultural Commission. —News Item.

### SAVINGS MORE THAN DOUBLE IN DECADE

New York.—Reported savings deposits in banks and trust companies of the United States have more than doubled in amount during the past decade, and the number of accounts have increased by about 143 per cent, figures compiled by the Savings Bank Division, American Bankers Association, show.

"If distributed equally among our entire population, the savings deposits in 1924 would have given \$39 to each

adult and child in the country," the Division's report says, "but in 1923 the portion of each would have been no less than \$158."

The officially reported savings deposits are as follows:

Year	Deposits	Accounts
1913	\$3,425,276,000	12,584,316
1923	\$7,321,479,000	20,829,350
Increase	105.7%	66.4%

"This remarkable growth is attributable to improvement in the services of the banks for savers and to the more consistent canvass for accounts through advertising and soliciting," the report says.

Gaster Oil.  
The score of a hitherto unknown walk by Rosalind has been found among his manuscripts in the Liceo at Pisa. It bears the amusing title "Gaster Oil."

Hay in England.  
Hay is now being made in many parts of England by means of an electric fan which dries the grass, which is cut and stacked while still green.

They Can't Prove It.  
There has been considerable mean talk about me; but I thank the Lord I have made it difficult for my enemies to prove the worst of it.—Ed. Howe's Monthly.

**STOP HEAD-ACHES at the source**

Get rid of body poisons: Keep kidneys, bowels and liver active and healthy with the famous **DR. J. C. HARRIS' INDIAN ROOT PILLS**.

60 PILLS 25c

## RICHARD LLOYD JONES SAYS

### Envy is the Door-Plate of Ignorance

Inferiority is the root of all envy. The strong covet the respect of others, not their envy. For envy is the rebellion of the incompetent. Once envy is permitted to take root it crowds out ambition as a weed kills a cultured plant. Envy begets and stupidifies determination. It is a confession of despair. It produces nothing. It yields no return. To submit to it is to bankrupt endeavor.

Hatred has the virtue of force. You can battle with resistance. But envy lays down all arms. Irreconcilable, it cannot even be offended into action.

They who are unwilling to bear good tidings of a neighbor and can find happiness only in seeing others depressed to a level with themselves are the most hopelessly lost to the work of the world. Their envy is a passion so full of cowardice that even they have not the confidence to openly own it. The weakest are reluctant to pose as foes of character. Envy is a secret vice.

Upon all occasions that ought to give him pleasure the envious man willfully puts himself in pain. He converts what should be life's relish into secret anguish. Those things which give the highest satisfaction to others give him the quickest pangs. To him all the perfections of fellow creatures are odious. Youth, beauty, valor, integrity and wisdom are provocations for his displeasure.

To be offended with excellence, to hate a man because the world approves is but the faint praise of a wretched soul.

So false to all good is envy that no man can despise it more than he who envies most. As a slave to a drug he would rise above it if he could, and envies no one so much as he can.

Envy hurts only the possessor. Like a scorpion confined within a circle of fire it stings itself to death.

The truest evidence of character is to be without a touch of envy.

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**Poem by Uncle John**

He's only some five or a half year old — an' they say he's bright for his age. He never forgets a thing he's told, nor what he may glimpse with his eyes. So, I've got to be keener of what I do in front of my offspring, for Jim the one that he keeps in view—this feller that knows me best.

I've got to look pleasant around the house—an' cultivate manners new. It beats the world how this little mouse will copy the things I do. I tell you, I'm livin' a constant prayer, with an anxious heart in my breast, but I reckon it ain't no more'n fair, to the feller that knows me best.

**MY YOUNGESTER**

POOR LITTLE THING! YOU'VE GOT TO BE KEEN OF WHAT I DO IN FRONT OF MY OFFSPRING, FOR JIM THE ONE THAT HE KEEPS IN VIEW—THIS FELLER THAT KNOWS ME BEST.

### Celebrates 104th Birthday With Call on President



Kupper Bier of Hoboken, N.J., celebrated his 104th birthday by visiting the capital for a call on the President—and to tell him he had 143 Coolidge Republican votes in his family.

## Young men wanted

for the fascinating profession of Davey Tree Surgery

Permanent positions for good men

John Davey's organization, The Davey Tree Expert Company, Inc., has a limited number of openings for ambitious young men between 20 and 30 years of age. Single men are preferred.

These positions are permanent and offer a lifetime opportunity to men who make good. The business of the Davey Company approximates one million dollars per year and is limited only by the number of capable men who can be trained for responsible positions.

No experience in Tree Surgery is required. We furnish the necessary training to the right kind of young men. This training is very thorough, embracing intensive work both in the field and later in the class room.

Tree Surgery is intensely interesting. It is professional work of high standing and dignity, and develops a fine scientific knowledge that is invaluable.

It offers robust health—outdoor work in the fresh air and sunshine, with properly balanced exercise. It is the ideal profession for the young man who wants to get away from the grind and monotony of indoor work. It is a wonderful physical developer.

The pay is good at the start and the opportunity for advancement is unusual. There is plenty of room at the top for good men. Work with the Davey Company offers an unusual chance to travel and see many parts of this country, with carfare paid by the company from one place to another.



Only the finest types of clean, red-blooded young Americans are employed by the Davey organization, and only young men of this kind need apply. A high school education or its equivalent is desired. We also require fully satisfactory references as to honesty, dependability and willingness to work.

### Mail coupon for details

Only a limited number of good men can be accommodated each year. If you think you qualify—if you are looking for interesting outdoor work with a real chance for advancement—it will be to your benefit to act promptly. Mail the coupon to us with your name and address and we will send you full information together with a qualification blank.

**COUPON**

THE DAVEY TREE EXPERT CO., Inc.  
58 City Bank Building,  
Kent, Ohio

I am interested in your offer. Please send me by return mail full information concerning the work of Davey Tree Surgeons and also a Qualification Blank.

Name.....

Address.....

(Please print name and address plainly to avoid delay)

## TRY OUR JOB PRINTING

# JANUARY the Clearance Month at RIKE-KUMLER'S

**THE JANUARY CLEARANCE** sales sweep on—with merchandise just as freshly desirable, with prices just as enticing as when the month began.

These January sales offerings are the logical result of the fact that we are, this month, reducing the largest and most varied stocks this store has ever carried through the month of December.

Logical, again, is the consequent result that communities surrounding Dayton find all roads lead to Rike-Kumler's, where merchandise of high quality invites the careful shopper.

Cornelia offers her prompt and experienced services to those who find it inconvenient to come in personally and take advantage of these very worthwhile price reductions. Write Cornelia or phone Main 4301 and ask for her.

**ONE lot of Winter Hats, good styles and fresh, desirable stocks. Included are fine velours in sports styles. Hats formerly \$10 to \$20, now \$3.95.**

**Jockey Dresses formerly \$15, \$19.75, and \$25, reduced to \$10.25, \$14.75, \$18.75.**

**All Tailored Suits reduced. Those formerly \$49.50 to \$79.50, are now \$39.50, \$49.50 and \$59.50.**

**\$12.50 to \$25 Sports Skirts reduced \$10 to \$15.**

**Sports Coats, self and fur trimmed, shagmores, polaires, camel, novelty plaids and stripes. Formerly \$25 to \$75, now \$19.75 to \$49.50.**

**Handsome suit Blouses of finest materials, formerly \$15 to \$25, now reduced to \$9.95.**

**Sweaters at half price. Wools and alks, tuxedos, slippers, many colors and color combinations. Formerly \$3.95 to \$25, now \$1.95 to \$12.50.**

**Special \$1 Chiffon Silk Hose. Shaped ankle, seamless back, very sheer and clear in weave with necessary reinforcements. Black, brown, nude, and gray.**

**1-lap Cape Glove, P. K. seam, contrasting stitching. Tan and beaver. Pair \$1.95.**

**All wool Union Suits, built-up shoulder and knee length, pure linen lace edge, \$2.79. Same style half wool, \$1.69.**

**Boys' gray cotton Union Suits, long sleeve, ankle length. Reduced from \$1 and \$1.25 to 89c.**

**Misses' fleece lined Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, suit 75c.**

**Tailored radium silk stockings, or lace trimmed with filet and val, \$2.95 each.**

**Short lots of higher grade pumps and oxfords, formerly \$3 to \$16.50, now \$4.60, \$6.85, \$9.45.**

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"SlipStream" for the past several years, the official publication of McCook field, will emerge in a new role after the Jan. 20 issue, according to advices received at McCook field Wednesday. After that time the publication will cease to confine itself to reading matter coming from McCook field alone, but cover all topics of interest in the aeronautical world. In the past it has been sponsored by McCook field authorities. After the January issue it will be a privately-owned and operated magazine, with Fred F. Marshall, formerly of this place, its editor for the past two years, as owner and managing editor.

Family Cow "Commutes." In Brittany the family cow actually "commutes" across canals in flat-bottomed boats, morning and night, to and from the most favorable grazing grounds.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Stevens, who has been the guest of her son, Rev. B. E. Stevens and family, has returned to her home near Urbana.

Go to Ridgway for Dennison Crepe paper, all colors

The Greene County Duroc Association will hold a sale Jan. 28.

Edw. Harper deposited \$2 and costs in Mayor's court Wednesday for failing to observe traffic regulations.

Bring your shoes to A. Jones on South Main street for repair.

The Home Culture Club was entertained Tuesday at the home of Mrs. R. R. Townsley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, are the proud parents of a son, Ernest McClellan, born Saturday, January 12. The little guest weighed ten pounds.

1924 Special for Saturday. Fresh Whipped Cream Chocolates 89c per pound. (not 1923 stock.) Kerr's Sweet Shop.

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Mrs. Wm. Marshall has been suffering with something like mastoid trouble and has been confined to her bed.

F. B. Turnbull was in Columbus on Tuesday attending a meeting of the Ohio Fair Boys' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Bush of Athens have been the guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross.

Ladies and Gents shining parlor. A. Jones, South Main street.

Mrs. Ralph Hewett of Selma and Mr. Herman McFarland and family of Sabina spent Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McFarland.

Mrs. Frank Townsley, who was operated upon at Grant Hospital Columbus for gonorrhea, was able to return home Tuesday. Her condition is much improved.

Mr. George Glass and family of Gladstone, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huston and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Conley were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Tarr.

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Mrs. Mary Houchins is quite ill at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McFarland. Mrs. Margaret Benham of Dayton is here with her mother.

Lost: Pair of fine leather gloves with fur trimming. A suitable reward will be offered by the owner for the return. Leave at Herald office and be informed as to particulars.

If your shoes are in bad condition take them to A. Jones, South Main street.

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Miss Hester Dean has given up her position as clerk in Master's grocery and is attending Business College in Springfield. Miss Esther Evans has taken Miss Dean's place in the grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kennon of Trebines, entertained the following guest last Thursday evening: Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kennon, Harry Kennon, Mr. Lawrence Kennon, Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kennon and son Eugene; of this place and Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Kennon and daughter, Dorothy, of Springfield Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Riley, Trebines.

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The village council in Yellow Springs at a recent meeting decided to purchase a new fire engine. The present one was one of the first motor outfits in this part of the state and is out-of-date. Repairs can no longer be obtained.

The Research Club entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Abel Tuesday evening. It was the annual dinner for the members of the club to their husbands. Among the out-of-town guests were Rev. and Mrs. Prouditt of Xenia.

The College Boys meet Washington C. H. Y. M. C. A. team on the local floor Friday night, Jan. 25. The girls are having a little difficulty in locating an out of town team to meet them but they will furnish the crowd with a girls game of some variety. Both teams travel to Antioch Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Sidney Bowles, 71, colored, a well known colored lady, died at her home in Jamestown, Saturday at 2:55 after a long illness of dropsy. She is survived by her step father, John Taylor, of this place and a half brother, Morris Taylor. Funeral services were held Monday from the home. Burial took place at Jamestown.

One of them out delightful social evening was that held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williamson Wednesday evening when they entertained the Clark's Run club at its regular January meeting. A number of amusing contests were enjoyed by all. A delicious salad course was served at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Smith left Wednesday for Coldwater, Mich., where they purchased a forty acre fruit farm near that city. Their house hold goods were shipped the day before. Mr. Smith and family have been residents of Cedarville for about twenty-eight years. During this time Mr. Smith has served faithfully in various capacities. He has been a member of the Board of Education, served a number of years as member of council and was a director of the Cedarville Building & Loan. We wish them much happiness and good health in their new home.

Mrs. Treasia Diffendal, 33, wife of L. M. Diffendal of near Gladstone, died Tuesday at Denver, where she had been since May, hoping to regain her health, suffering from tuberculosis. Mr. Diffendal and his eight children were with her at the time of her death. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Sassen and Mrs. John Keleher, Springfield, four brothers, John, Lawrence and Frank Denehey of Springfield and William Denehey on the McCollum farm near Goes Station. The funeral was held Monday from St. Bridget's church, Xenia with interment at the Catholic Cemetery.

## HOW TO SAVE MONEY WHEN SHOPPING

By MRS. HARLAND H. ALLEN

(12122 Harland H. Allen.)

### "IS IT FOR YOURSELF?"

"For yourself?" piped the smart young salesperson in the shop where I had strolled to look at hats.

For whom else would I be shopping for a hat on a hot summer afternoon? I wondered.

But as I watched a number of women buying hats—a short, fat woman going out with a low spreading hat that made her look shorter and fatter than ever; a woman of the build, bearing type, elevated still nearer the clouds by a high plume-trimmed crown—I decided that the question hadn't been so irrelevant after all. How often does a woman buy a hat that is really designed for herself?

If your face is full and round, do not choose a small brimless hat, or one with a turned-up brim. It will only change the adjectives "full and round" to "soft and fat." What your face needs is a general lengthening and reducing effect, and this may be accomplished by medium-brimmed hats, by veils, and by having the brim narrower at the sides than at the front.

A thin face that looks small and peaked under a large hat, may play up all its fullness and delicacy of curves under a small one.

The snubniest nose can be coaxed to be quiescent under a large or medium sized hat, while a brimless hat or one that turns up sharply in front would only accentuate the sauciness.

For the woman with sharp, angular features, "softness" is the keyword. Her problem is the same as the thin-faced woman's, only that she must be careful to avoid any lines that accentuate the angles of nose, chin, cheekbone or throat. Still sailors only multiply her woes, and yet how she usually does "fancy" them!

Youthful faces may fearlessly wear the straight brimless hat or the turned-up brim which throw the complexion in high relief. But the woman with age-lines, or the younger woman with worried, worn features should wear a hat that has loose, drapery effects, and brim enough to shadow the lines.

If you are of the medium-type of face with that "you can wear anything" This is never entirely true. There are certain lines and materials that will bring out your good points better than others do. So, "For Yourself" is a pretty good rule to go by, it seems to me, when shopping for a hat.

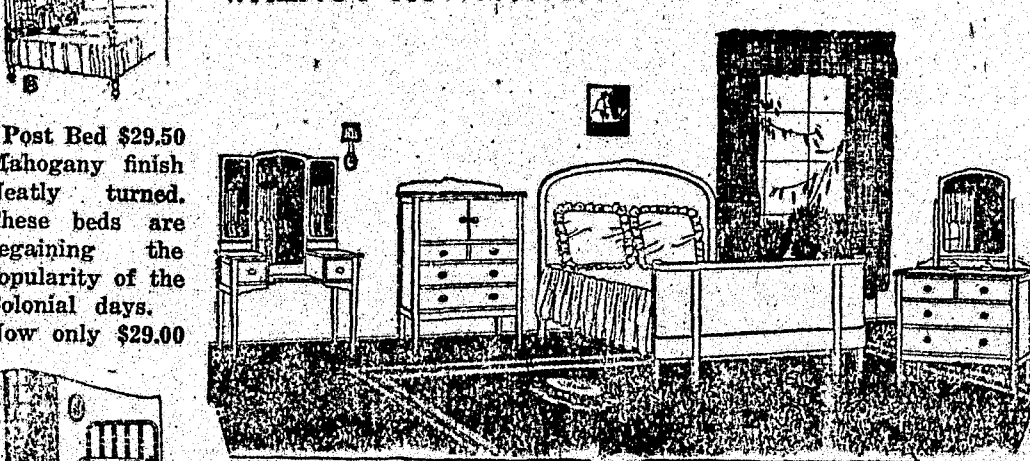
Married Man's Advice. Married Man (to friend)—"You bachelors don't feel comfortable either at home or when you're away. Get married and you'll at least feel comfortable when you're away."



## Special Sale OF BED ROOM FURNITURE

If you need bed room furniture this sale means great savings to you. We have a large stock of bed room furniture and in order to make room for the new furniture just purchased in Grand Rapids our present stock must be reduced. Hence the sale.

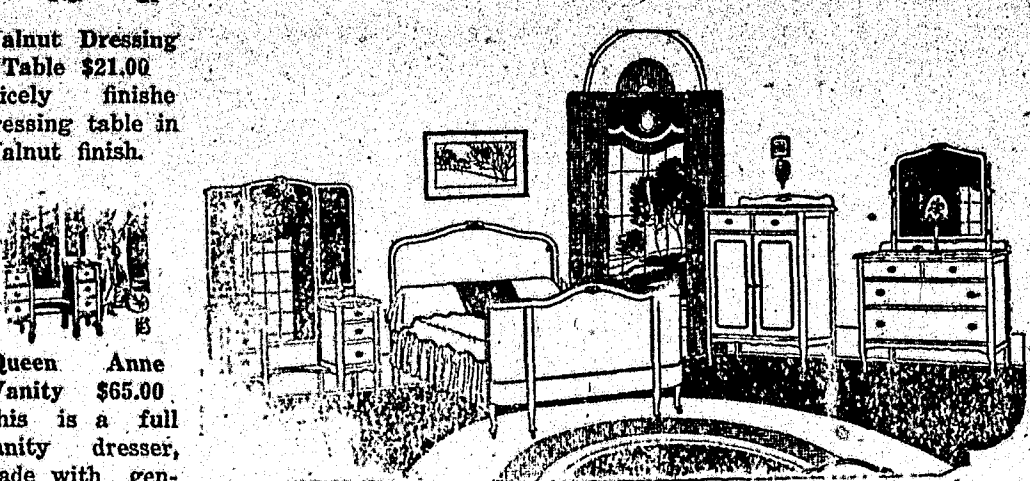
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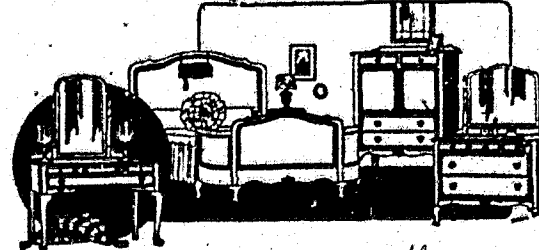
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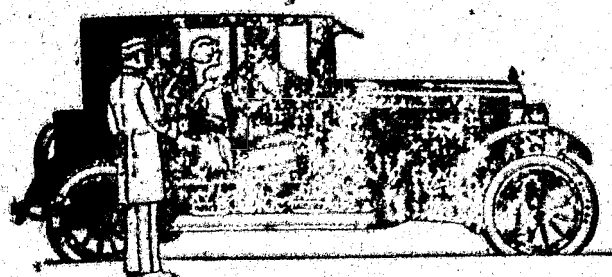
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### DISOLUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of The Tarbox Lumber Company at its principal office in Cedarville, Greene County, Ohio, on Tuesday, February 5th, 1924 at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering and taking steps to surrender the corporate authority and franchises of The Tarbox Lumber Company and dissolving said corporation.

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The best American matting is made from stout grass, growing wild on the plains of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

### THEATRE NOTES.

A splendid opportunity is offered the theatre patrons of Dayton to see the outstanding dramatic success of the American stage "The Fool" as that play will be presented in Dayton at the Victory theatre for one week, beginning Sunday, January 27. There will be a popular priced matinee on Wednesday and the usual matinee on Saturday.

By special arrangement with the Selwyns, who produced "The Fool" and with Channing Pollock, the author the Victory theatre has obtained the Chicago company and production of this great success. It comes to Dayton at the termination of a record breaking engagement at the Selwyn theatre in Chicago, where for several months capacity audiences were the rule and seats eagerly sought for weeks in advance.

Not only have critics an dthe public acclaimed "The Fool" as a really great play in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago but it has been the topic of sermons by Protestant Ministers, Catholic Priests, Jewish Rabbis, an dChristian Scientists. Many clergymen have announced from the pulpit that they would rather have the members of their congregation see "The Fool" than to hear a sermon.

While "The Fool" preaches a great lesson it is also splendid entertainment of the type that appeals to both young and old. Its four acts bristle with dramatic situations while throughout the tense story there is interwoven a love story of rare beauty and charm.

"The Fool" requires a very large company, forty in number, and the cast that will appear in Dayton includes some of the leading players of the day. The Selwyns also have provided "The Fool" with elaborate and massive scenic productions.

Mail orders are now being accepted and will be filled in order of their receipt as the regular box sale of seats does not begin until Tuesday, January 22.

### SERVICES AT M. E. CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:15. Music by orchestra.

Morning worship at 10:30. Special music. Subject of sermon: "All Debtors."

Junior League at 2 p. m. Eleanor Johnson in charge.

Ephworth League at 6 P. M. Subject "Youth and Education" Leader, Kenneth Little.

Union Services at 7 P. M. Special music. Subject of sermon: "The Great Red Dragon" in Rev. 12th chapter. Choir practice Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

### THE MUSIC MAKERS

A program brimful of music, made with instruments and made with voices, is that presented by the Music Makers, a quartet of young college men who will appear at the opera house, Thursday, Jan. 31. The instruments used are trombone, cornet, saxophone, together with banjo and guitar for some novelty.

The outstanding feature of the Music Makers' program is the true artistry of their instrumental numbers, and especially in the brass quartet arrangement of trombones and cornets. The playing demonstrates a highly developed technique and the real mastery of the instruments.

Their vocal numbers are highly entertaining, being full of punch and snap, and while their selections do not embrace the strong classical features of the instrumental program, it is a popular and much appreciated part of the entertainment.

In addition to the brass quartet and vocal quartet, there are novelty features including humorous readings and dialogues, and a dramatic skit dealing with American college types. The program is full of comedy, clean play and musical music and is received with enthusiasm wherever the company has appeared.

The Music Makers are well named. They are players singers and funsters besides. Their entertainment will be one of the most popular on the local Lyceum course.

### MASONS BANQUET TUESDAY NIGHT

The annual banquet of the Masonic Lodge will be held in Community hall Exchange Bank building, Tuesday evening, January 22, at 6:30 P. M. The invitation is open to all members of the lodge and their families and to members of the Eastern Star. The speaker of the evening will be Rev. T. O. Reed, Columbus, chaplain of the Ohio Penitentiary. Rev. Reed is quite an after dinner speaker and a treat awaits the members. The price including evening dinner will be \$1.25 a plate.

### FARMERS' WEEK

To men's Week will be held at Columbus the week of February 4-8 at the Ohio State university. Farm men and women from all parts of the state will attend by hundreds. One feature of the meeting will be the conference on present condition with the farmer and formulating plans for improvement in the future.

We'd Call Them Allies.  
Many of the streets of Canton, Ohio, are only eight feet wide.

## January Clearance SALE

This is an annual event in our store and for many of our patrons is known to be an event in which there are opportunities to save money.

This year we are offering bargains in every department of the store as usual. The saving on cotton goods is unusual. Our stock, of cotton goods, was bought at the time raw cotton was being sold at 20 to 25 cents as against the price today of 35 to 37 1-2 cents per pound, making it an especially good time to buy muslins, ginghams, outing flannels, challies, cotton batts (for making comforts) also cotton blankets, sheeting, tubing, sheets and pillow cases.

The Sale Starts Wednesday, January 16 and continues

Through Saturday, January 26

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The terms of this sale are as heretofore: No goods bought at sale price can be charged, exchanged or returned. Telephone orders will be sent out on C. O. D. tickets only.

SEE FULL PAGE AD WEDNESDAY

Jobe Brothers Company

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### STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cedarville Masonic Building Company was held at the lodge rooms Tuesday evening when the former directors were all re-elected. Report of the progress of the company was read. The directors re-elected The present officers were re-elected.

Heart and Head.  
A man whose heart is in the right place cheers us, but when we need help we seek a man whose head is in the right place.

Most Precious Reward.  
Praise is well, blame is well; but affection is the final and most precious reward that any man can win.  
—Mark Twain.

An Unmusical Soul.  
She—"My teacher says I have a great talent for music." He—"Why don't you do something for it?"

Only a Few, However.  
Women have the right to dress, as they please. But some of them lack the nerve—James J. Montague.

Ocean Six Miles Deep.  
Greatest ocean depth recorded is over six miles and is near Mindanao, one of the Philippine islands.

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